

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 NDJAME 00733 241705Z
ACTION AF-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 IO-14 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-05 H-02
INR-10 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-02 SP-02 SS-15
USIA-15 ACDA-12 HA-05 EB-08 TRSE-00 NEA-10 /119 W
-----020683 250036Z /70

R 211725Z FEB 78
FM AMEMBASSY NDJAMENA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6376

UNCLAS NDJAMENA 0733

DEPT PASS OAU COLLECTIVE

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PBOR, PORG, OAU, CD, LY
SUBJECT: CHAD-LIBYA BORDER DISPUTE

REF: STATE 040592

SUMMARY: REFTEL REQUESTS INFORMATION ON CHAD-LIBYA BORDER
DISPUTE NEGOTIATIONS. ON FEBRUARY 20, RADIO NDJAMENA
BROADCAST A COMMUNIQUE ANNOUNCING A RECONCILIATION
BETWEEN LIBYA AND CHAD AS A RESULT OF MEETINGS HELD IN
TRIPOLI UNDER SUDANESE MEDIATION.

1. CSM MEMBERS MINISTER OF EDUCATION GOURA LASSOU AND
MINISTER OF JUSTICE MAHAMOUD ABDERAMANE WERE IN TRIPOLI
FOR TRIPARTITE NEGOTIATIONS WITH SUDANESE AND LIBYAN
DELEGATIONS, FROM FEBRUARY 15 THROUGH 18. FORMER WAS
HEADED BY AMBASSADOR ABOUBAKER OTHAMAN MOHAMED SALAH
AND SUDANESE AMBASSADOR TO CHAD MOHAMED TAHER
WHILE LIBYAN TEAM INCLUDED SECSTATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS
TRIKI, SECRETARY EDUCATION MOHAMED CHERIF, AND SECRETARY
INTERMINISTERIAL RELATIONS CHERIF BEN ANER.

2. JOINT COMMUNIQUE SIGNED FEBRUARY 18 BY GOUARA LASSOU,
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 NDJAME 00733 241705Z

TRIKI AND OTHAMAN MOHAMED ANNOUNCED FOLLOWING MAJOR
POINTS:

A. HOLDING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING IN NIAMEY
ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR FEBRUARY 7;

B. B. SUBSEQUENT MEETING BETWEEN PRESIDENTS QADHAFI
AND MALLOUM TO BE HELD IN SEBHA;

C. REFUSAL ALL FOREIGN INTERVENTION INIMICAL TO
NATIONAL RECONCILIATION; DENUNCIATION OF VIOLENCE AND
FRATRICIDAL WAR AMONG CHADIANS;

D. FOLLOW UP OF DIRECT CONTACTS AMONG THE THREE
COUNTRIES TO CREATE AN ATMOSPHERE CONDUCIVE TO HELPING
CHADIANS RESOLVE THEIR INTERNAL PROBLEMS BY DIALOGUE
AND IN A PEACEFUL MANNER.

3. THE GOC AGREES TO WITHDRAW ITS COMPLAINT FROM THE
SECURITY COUNCIL SINCE IT HAS DECIDED TO RE-ESTABLISH
DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH LIBYA AND PERMIT THE RE-OPENING
OF THE LIBYAN EMBASSY.

4. OAU MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE IN TRIPOLI WILL BE ATTENDED
BY SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS GALMAI
YOUSSOUBOMI.BRADFORD

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT REPEAT NOT PASSED OAU COLLECTIVE.

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: DISPUTE SETTLEMENT, BORDER INCIDENTS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 21 feb 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 jan 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978NDJAME00733
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780086-1125
Format: TEL
From: NDJAMENA
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t19780233/aaaabbcl.tel
Line Count: 81
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 73fb60d3-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION AF
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 78 STATE 40592
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 04 mar 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 3536384
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: CHAD-LIBYA BORDER DISPUTE
TAGS: PBOR, PORC, CD, LY, OAU
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odhc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/73fb60d3-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014